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Personal Profile

**Basic Background Information**

My name is Tate. I am nineteen years old. My mom got my name from the actor Tate Donovan who played the voice for Hercules. I have six people in my family which consist of one older brother who is twenty-two years old named Bronson, a younger brother who is fifteen named Garrett, and a younger sister who is 10 years old and is named Zoey. My family is the most important thing to me. I am close to everyone in my family and they all have played a different role for me in my life. I was born in Layton, Utah. I have grown up and lived in Kaysville, Utah my whole life. We’ve moved three times around the city but have never left Kaysville. I graduated from Davis High School last year 2017 where I went to school with my two best friends who have played a big role in my life whose names are Braxton and Dax.

**Interests and Hobbies**

Growing up sports are something that have always been a part of my life. I’ve always played baseball my whole life. I started playing competition baseball when I was seven years old. I played on a team called the Bandits. We were so good, we won so many tournaments. A big part of my childhood memories come from being on the baseball field and being on this team with all my buddies. One of my favorite baseball memories is the time we went to Cooperstown, New York and played in a tournament. Cooperstown is where the baseball hall of fame is and there is just so much tradition there. The tournament had over a hundred teams there and you play baseball for a week straight playing at least two games a day. Baseball has taught me a lot such as how to work hard, teamwork, and being a good person. Another thing about baseball is it is one of the ways I have gotten really close to my father. Baseball is something we have been able to bond together about. From all the time spent at the field and the batting cage he has helped me so much. The amount of time we spent in the car driving all over the place getting to games and tournaments. I have loved how much baseball has got me close to my father.

Weight lifting has been a big part of my life for the past couple years. When I started dedicating myself to the gym everyday it is crazy but honestly it has helped transform my work ethic in everything I do to a whole new level. I love how going to the gym makes me feel. It makes me feel really good about myself and it gives me confidence. That is another thing the gym has helped me with a lot is my self-confidence and that was defiantly something I struggled with. The gym has been another thing that has brought me really close to my two brothers. We all go to the gym together and work out together a lot.

A sport that I have gotten into over the past year is golf. Last summer I got a job at Hubbard golf course. Working at the course every day and seeing the course everyday has just made it so I had to start playing golf. Golf is a very difficult sport and it takes a lot of patience to play. Golf is a very fun sport and I plan on playing it tell I am very old if I can.

Another thing that has been a big part of my life is music. I love music so much. I play the guitar and drums. I started playing the guitar when I was twelve. Actually, how it started was my parents got my older brother a guitar and he never could really figure out how to play it so I kind of stole it from him and started learning how to play it. I’m not really sure how old I was when I started playing the drums but I think I was fourteen or fifteen. I was air drumming before that for a while. I wanted to play drums so bad and when I finally got a drum set I was so happy. I mostly play rock, alternative, and metal music. I do love playing any type of music though. My favorite band is Muse. They are the band that inspired me to start playing the drums and the guitar so I have learned to play almost all their songs. I can’t decide on which instrument I like better. It really just depends on the day and what I am feeling at the moment.

**My next step**

I am in my first semester of college so I am just starting on my next step. I am going to get my associates degree in generals because I have no idea what I want to get my bachelor’s degree in. What I plan on doing though is after I get my associates degree I want to start flight school. I want to be a commercial pilot that is my dream job. I will do that and finish my bachelors in whatever I eventually decide I want it to be.